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WAYS OF THE RUSTLER.

HOW HE MAKES MONEY OUT OF WESTERN REAL ESTATE BOOMS.

Paper Towns with Glowing Prospects. Cutting Half a Section Into Lots and Working Up Fancy Prices—Building Big Mills and Gas Works on Paper.

"The rustler himself is a product of the west and his name originated in Dakota, where the very alacrity of his movements is supposed to produce a noise like that which the wind makes in the long dry grass of the prairies. He comes under all guises, from the local preacher with sanctimonious tones, the business man with silk hat and jerky manner, to the simple rustic in jeans and top boots. The best way to test him is to say 'syndicate.' Not exactly in the way you would say 'rats' to a terrier, but let the word fall in conversation and see his eye glimmer in spite of himself. A corporation, an association, a company never buys land out west, only a syndicate. The rustler rustles best in small towns whose prospects are their strongest points. Genuine growth drives him out. He needs elbow room, and the more dreary the prospect the more indefatigably does he rustle. He is willing, too, to boom the future of any land and of any people, but of course seldom finds a field for his peculiar abilities outside of the western states.

POINTS TO THE GUILELESS "CANUCK."

"I remember one little town, however, Prospect Heights they called it, that sprang up in a night almost, thanks to a rustler, on the outskirts of Winnipeg, Canada, when people in that city went crazy over the opening of the great prairie lands to the west of it by the Canadian Pacific railway. The city was full of American real estate agents who had come up to help the Canadians appreciate and purchase their own land. Several of these wide awake fellows laid their heads together and bought 320 acres of farm land three or four miles out of the city, on a little knoll that rose a few feet above the dead level of the prairie. They plotted the place off in town lots, advertised it freely as the coming site of suburban homes for city dwellers, and formed a construction company to erect houses thereon. Great quantities of lumber and other building material were carted out to the site, over roads of almost bottomless mud, carpenters and masons were employed, and work was begun simultaneously on a town hall, several saloons, an academy of music, a grist mill, a number of small cottages for renting purposes, a postoffice, several stores and two or three more pretentious houses.

"All this was duly heralded in the papers and by small bills thrust into the hands of the new arrivals, who were then pouring into the city from eastern Canada and Europe at the rate of 500 a day. Even the wildest enthusiast in the city was astonished at the phenomenal growth of this suburban town. While vacant lots were changing hands in Winnipeg, here were buildings of many kinds going up on all sides. True, no one of them had gone up far, but a beginning had been made, and material was lying around in profusion, with more coming in every hour. Two saloons in tents were doing a good business with the teamsters, workmen and visitors, and at the real estate office over the way, surrounded by maps, pens, pencils, paper, plans and other implements of his trade, sat the bland agent of the ostensible owner of the property, a wealthy Minneapolis mill owner, it was given out, who intended there to erect mills to grind the wheat crops of the great prairies, when any were produced. Every now and then a new comer would visit this office, when something like the following would occur:

THE FLY GOES TO SEE THE SPIDER.

"'Excuse me a minute,' says the rustler, 'that's the telephone bell.' He puts his ear to the receiver and after a moment shouts: 'Can't say till I look at the books.' Then to his caller: 'Gentleman at the Victoria in the city wants to know if lots 9 to 12, block E, in Skinner's addition, can be had at $450 each.' Then the rustler rustles the leaves of a big book, consults a bogus sale list, and shouts into the telephone: 'Sold this morning to a Toronto syndicate to build gas works on. Very sorry. Good-by. What's that? The same numbers in the next block, do you say? Hold on, I'll see.' More rustling of the leaves of the ledger. Then he shouts again: 'Yes, they're gone too. Montreal man going to erect a brewery. You should have taken them yesterday when you were here. I'll bet you ten to one the whole plot is sold out before the week closes.' Then he talks awhile to his visitor only to be interrupted by another ring on the telephone. 'Hello, who is it? The Albemarle? Oh, the Marlborough. Well, go ahead. Who are you? Oh, yes, you were out here this morning. Want those lots reserved for you? How long? Can't do it. Two days the outside. Well, I'll reserve four for three days, but not six. Not the corner one. Two or three people have been asking for it today. I might have sold it, but expected you to close to-night. That corner lot,' he adds, coming back to his visitor, to whom he has already made up his mind he will sell it, 'seems to be a favorite. The adjoining one on the north has been set apart by the owner of the plot for a church, the next one to the west was bought yesterday by a man whose stock of dry goods is on the way, and will be here before he can get his building up, I am afraid.'

"And so it went. He sold that corner lot, of course. He sold the whole plot of 320 acres within a fortnight by the aid of consummate gall, a concealed battery in his desk that rang the telephone bell when he wanted it, and capital enough to get a lot of lumber on the land, hire a few men to dig foundation holes, lay bricks here and there and erect the framework of half a dozen buildings. His dupes did all the rest; supplemented his building operations and paid him their money. When he had sold it all, he sold the lumber too, and went away, and with the gentle rustler went the money and the boom. And now a fine growth of wild mustard fills the yawning cellars, oat crops are gathered on the town hall plaza, and the rest of Prospect Heights is buried among miles of tall prairie grass."—Interview in New York Tribune.

Some Mexican Superstitions.

It is believed that the murderer who has slain his victim with sword or dagger will escape if the body falls upon its side or back; but if the body falls face downward, then the murderer surely soon will be captured and put to death. This belief is said to be so firmly rooted among the people of northeastern Mexico that when a murdered man falls upon his face his slayer makes no effort to escape, and even sometimes voluntarily surrenders himself to justice. If a bride, while dressing for her wedding, is pricked by a pin so that blood flows, great misfortune impends. If two people think of the same thing at the same time, a soul is loosed from purgatory.—Scribner's Magazine.

How It Works.

Lemuel—I tell you men may prate as they will about woman's extravagance, but she can dress well on a sum that would keep a man looking shabby.

Simeoe (dryly)—That's true. Now, the sum that my wife dresses on keeps me looking shabby year in and year out.—Time.

AN ANTEDILUVIAN FROG.

Found Solidly Imbedded in a Bank of Clay—Developing His Frogship.

In the Plenty Valley, Victoria, some time in the early '70s, a road party were making a deep cutting through some clay beds to improve local traffic facilities. The clay bed was a tertiary formation; it was hard and of a yellow color. On the clay bank gum trees, some hundreds of years old, were growing. When about thirty feet below the surface a block of this clay in falling broke into two pieces, out of which tumbled a little frog, with a body about two and one half inches long and one and a quarter inches wide. He seemed blind and sleepy, though showing every evidence of life; he was apparently as strong as any other frog of the same size; he was in no way thin; in fact, seemed to be a well nurtured and properly cared for frog.

The block of clay was reduced in size, and the frog, with the two pieces which formed the dwelling, was sent to the Technological museum, Melbourne. Mr. Newberry, the chief of that institution, examined him very closely and found that all the natural orifices of the body had closed completely; in fact, there was of them not a trace remaining. In color the frog was a dirty yellow, such as the clay, without any variation of tinge. Mr. Newberry sent this creature for identification to Frederick McCoy, F. R. S., professor of natural sciences, Melbourne university. Professor McCoy identified him as a member of a well known species whose habits were, in time of trouble, such as drought or cold, to bury themselves in the earth and remain there until the condition of things was more to their liking. Members of the species mentioned, however, were a yellow color mottled with brown.

After the identification the creature was returned to Mr. Newberry. This gentleman determined to see if he could by some natural process educate the sleepy specimen into a more vigorous and better understanding of his duties as a live frog. He was then domiciled in a small fernery in the museum, and it was decided to give him a bath every morning, a proceeding which froggy seemed strongly to object to, though he swam vigorously while in the water. When put back into his clay cavity he wriggled himself about until he found the old groove, folded himself up and seemed contented. This cavity might be described as fitting him where it touched him—that is to say, though touching him all over the more prominent parts of the body, the clay was not molded into the hollows formed by the folding of his limbs. After a short while the clay bed was taken from him and he was put among the ferns on the mold, into which he rapidly sank stern first by a peculiar motion of his hind legs.

For his morning bath he had to be dug up daily, then back he would go again into seclusion. In a little while two patches of dust were noticed on his nose. These were examined by a magnifying glass, and it was found that in the center of each was an infinitely minute hole just where the nostrils should be. After enforced bathing and exercise daily for about six weeks the dull yellow skin covering him began to come off in small patches; it eventually fell off like the slough of a snake, revealing him as Professor McCoy said he should be, a nice looking mottled brown and yellow frog, with bright eyes, mouth, nostrils, etc. After his skin came off he began to like the water, would jump into it, then after a swim sit underneath the ferns; he gradually showed a liking to bask in the sun and generally deported himself in the manner of a well conducted frog, though he was never seen to take any food.

One day the door of the fernery was left open; whether it was that the insatiable desire for sensation pervading our modern civilization affected him so that he desired to see how the world had wagged since ages agone he had bade it good-by, whether it was for the purpose of examining other objects of interest in the museum, or that he stepped out for refreshments, or with a desire to go a-wooing, history has not been informed; at all events, instead of meeting the "lily white duck" of the fable, he came in contact with the museum cat, who was prowling around, and, before an attendant looking on could interfere, he was seized by the cat, who, with him in her mouth, dashed through an open window into a shrubbery bard by and no trace of froggy was ever again to be found. —London Engineering.

Benefits of Travel.

A gentleman who has just returned from an extensive traveling tour through the north and west said to a party yesterday: "I have been among all classes of people since I left Atlanta, and I have witnessed that which is great in art and in nature. My conviction is that travel makes a man better and kinder at heart. It enlarges his vision, it opens up the narrow channels of his mind, and above all things it kills pedantry and petty vanity When I left Atlanta a few weeks ago I felt self important and my brain seemed too large for my hat. I felt that wherever I went I would make an impression, but such illusions were dissolved, as I found myself in New York, pushing my way through the throng—a great pulsing ocean of humanity, who no more heeded me than they did the smallest bootblack. Wherever I went I found it so, until I longed to get right here in Atlanta, where I would rather live than in any city in this universe. I came back humbled, but already I begin to feel my identity and recover some of my waning self esteem; but I believe that travel is a liberal educator. It cultivates a man without making him pedantic, and gives him opinions which are not hobbies. He becomes refined but not punctilious, discriminating but not exclusive."—Atlanta American.

Stock Gambling in London.

London is the great place for stock gambling. We think we have it in this country, but it does not begin to compare with what it is there. In London there is an immense amount of trading in defaulted bonds, and bonds of bankrupt corporations, and African and Burmese mines, which could not be had here for a day. I was reading the other day in a special publication about the placing of the Burmese ruby mines. The prospectus issued plainly stated that the venture was a gamble, that it could not turn out for a year, if it ever turned out, and while the property might possibly be valuable there were equal probabilities that it would have no value. And yet there was a terrible rush on the Rothschilds' office when the subscription was opened; the total stock was subscribed several times over and shares immediately advanced from £1 to £5, or $5 to $20.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Organization of South Carolina.

By the advice of the continental congress the convention of South Carolina on March 24, 1776, resolved itself into an assembly, choosing as president of the new body John Rutledge and Henry Laurens as vice president. The convention completed its work by the selection of a legislative council of thirteen, composed of members from its own body. An executive council of six members, of which the vice president was to be chairman, was created, three of whom were to be named by the assembly and three by the legislative council. A judiciary was established, of which William Henry Drayton was appointed chief justice. Thus was organized the temporary government of the new state. —Philadelphia Times.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 15th day of July, 1889, petition and application was presented and filed in the District Court of the State of Nevada in and for Washoe county, State of Nevada, by Geo. W. Mapes, Geo. Alt, Chancellor Derby, H. M. Frost and Robert Jones, as owners of "Pioneer Ditch," taking water from the Truckee river, in Washoe county, State of Nevada, moving and praying said Court to an adjudication of the priorities of rights to the use of water for irrigation, between the several ditches, canals and reservoirs on or taking water from the Truckee river and tributaries, in Irrigation District, No 1, Washoe county, State of Nevada, and the following order was, on the 15th day of July, 1889, made and entered by the Hon. R. S. Bigelow, Judge of said Court, setting Monday, the second day of September, 1889, and the Court room of said Court, in the town of Reno, Washoe county, State of Nevada, as the time and place for hearing said petition and application, and all proofs hereunder, and ordering that notice thereof be given according to law. Said order being as follows:

Upon reading and filing the petition and application in writing of George W. Mapes, George Alt, Chancellor Derby, H. M. Frost and Robert Jones, associated together and owning "Pioneer Ditch," petitioners and applicants, against A. T. Rice, Geo. H. Douglas, J. A. Blasdell, Edward Wills and Walter Tregallas, owning "Mitchell & Carmack Ditch," and Samuel Brown, owning "Stevenson Ditch," all of whom claim rights to the use of Water for beneficial purposes—irrigating, stock and domestic uses—from the Truckee river, and which said petition and application moves and prays the Court to proceed to the adjudication of the priorities of rights to the use of the waters of the Truckee river and its tributaries, in Water District No. 1, as between the parties named in said petition and application, and all other parties owning or claiming water rights thereon, and good cause appearing therefrom, the hearing of said application and petition is hereby set for Monday, the 2d day of September, 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the forenoon of that day, at the Court room of said Court, in the town of Reno, Washoe county, State of Nevada, when and where all persons concerned may appear and be heard in support of their claims, if any they may have.

And the Clerk of said Court is hereby ordered and directed to give notice thereof according to law. L. R. BIGELOW, District Judge.

And I further notify said A. T. Rice, Geo. H. Douglas, J. A. Blasdell, Edward Wills and Walter Tregallas, named in said petition and application, and all other persons and parties interested as owners or otherwise, in any ditch, canal or reservoir on said Truckee river and its tributaries, or taking water from the same, or any or either thereof, to appear at said Court, at the time and place appointed in said order, then and there to present his, her or their proofs of their rights in or to any of the waters of said Truckee river and its tributaries in said Irrigation District No. 1, being Washoe county, State of Nevada, or for or against any priority of rights to said waters by appropriation, sought to be shown by any one, by or through any ditch, canal or reservoir. T. V. JULIEN, Clerk of the District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for Washoe county

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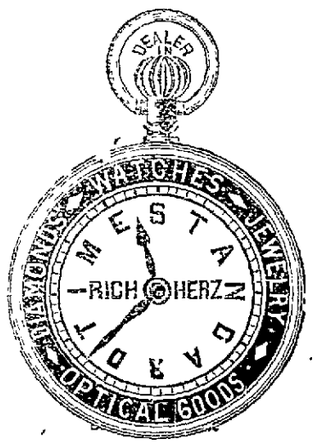

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THE STATE FAIR.

Reno has reason to feel proud of her progress during the last year, notwithstanding the fact that she has been visited by two disastrous fires, and she should exert herself to make the coming State Fair a credit to the town and worthy of the visitors that will crowd in here during Fair week. While strangers this year will have the advantage of more commodious quarters during their stay, still a good exhibition at the Fair is necessary to make their visit a pleasure and cause them to go home well satisfied with their sojourn in our town. The Fair Directors are working hard, and the grounds are being put in the best of condition. The town should also be cleaned up as much as possible, considering the building that is going on, so as to present its best side to strangers. Every merchant should make some kind of a display of his wares in the pavilion, thus adding to the exhibition. The fruit crop this year will be good, and the capabilities of the county as a fruit-raising section can be shown off to the best advantage, if the owners of orchards will only take interest enough in the Fair to place their products on exhibition. While the JOURNAL speaks thus of what Reno and the surrounding country should do, it hopes the whole State will take an interest in the Fair and make it what it should be—a State exhibition and an honor to Sageland.

BURIED CITIES.

Important Discoveries Made in Yucatan—Ruins Near Palenque Which Reveal Traces of a Great Nation—Curious Artistic Relics.

CITY OF MEXICO (via Galveston), Aug. 3.—Recently returned explorers from the State of Chiapas confirm and add to the remarkable reports concerning important archæological discoveries there.

A fine broad, paved road, built by prehistoric inhabitants, has been traced from Tenala down into Guatemala and thence in a curve up again into Mexico, terminating in Palenque.

All along the road are still to be seen the remains of ruined cities, and a careful estimate of the population of these places is about 30,000,000.

On that part of the road near Palenque the ruins are of great magnitude; houses of four, and often five, stories high have been found in the depth of the forest.

Many of these houses are pyramidal in form, and so covered are some of them with vegetable mold that large trees are growing from the roofs. In some of the houses great employment has been made of stone beams of tremendous weight, and the architecture indicates a high degree of scientific attainment.

In some houses, it is stated bronze lamps have been discovered, and the interior and exterior mural decorations of the more important houses consist of panelings, filled with elaborately carved figures almost of life size, two types of men and women being represented, some plainly Egyptians and others genuine Africans. In front of one of the houses the explorers found fourteen sculptors of God with folded arms.

The work of exploration was one of extreme difficulty, owing to the density of the forest and the unwillingness of the Indians to enter the ancient edifices, they averring that the buildings were inhabited by spirits.

Another discovery was that of an enormous paved road, which extends from Pelenque across Yucatan to the Island of Cozumel and is continued on the island.

The Palenque explorers assert that they have discovered in the edifices before mentioned examples of perfect arch.

One explorer is a scientifically trained man who has recently arrived from India, and by his account the region from Chiapas to Yucatan must have been the seat of a densely populous nation.

A $30,000,000 FIRE.

Spokane Falls Leveled to the Ground.

SPOKANE FALLS, W. T., August 5.—The entire business portion of this city, covering nearly forty blocks, was destroyed by fire last night. The fire broke out at 6 P. M. in a frame block near the depot. The water pressure was very weak, and the flames spread rapidly, sweeping the entire block in less than half an hour. A high wind sprang up soon after the fire started, filling the air with burning cinders and started fires in several adjacent blocks. The Pacific Hotel was the first valuable building to succumb, and the Russ House, also, burned like tinder. The fire communicated with the Northern Pacific passenger and freight depots, burning them to the ground. The Northern Pacific Railway's loss is estimated at $1,000,000. The Mayor ordered the buildings to be blown up with giant powder, and about a dozen large buildings and other small ones were blown up. Every business house in the city, including eight banks, all the hotels but one, and every newspaper in the city except the Review, were destroyed. The loss is estimated at from thirty to fifty million dollars. Three persons were probably fatally injured by jumping from windows.

All provisions and supplies were burned, and there will necessarily be much suffer- for several days. Appeals for help have been sent out, and Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and several neighboring small towns have already responded.

How to Cool Your Dwelling.

The proper way to keep the house co and comfortable these hot Summer days i not to keep all the doors and windows ope all day, but throw the house open for a hour or two in the early morning and fil every nook and corner with pure, cool air Then close the house up tight, and the interior will remain comfortable the hottes day. The principle is a scientific one, and no harm can result from a practical experiment.

ORMSBY DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION.

Speed Programme for Second Meeting, Commencing October 7th—$7,500 in Purses.

MONDAY.

Introduction purse — Dash of three-fourths of a mile; for all horses owned in the State of Nevada, and Mono, Inyo and Alpine counties, California; purse, $150.

Trotting—3:00 class; free for all horses owned in the counties of Ormsby, Douglas and Storey; purse, $250.

Running—Dash of one-fourth of a mile; purse, $100.

Pacing — For 3-year-olds; free for all horses owned in the State of Nevada, and Inyo, Mono and Alpine counties, California; purse, $300.

TUESDAY.

Running Stake—2-year-olds; five-eighths of a mile; $200 added; entrance, $25; $10 forfeit; second horse to save entrance; the winner of race No. 2 at the Reno State Fair to carry five pounds extra.

Trotting—Free for all 2-year-olds owned in the State of Nevada, and Inyo, Mono and Alpine counties, California; purse, $300.

Trotting—2:40 class; free for all; purse, $250.

WEDNESDAY.

Trotting—2:35 class; free for all; purse, $300.

Pacing—Free for all horses owned in the State of Nevada, and Mono, Inyo and Alpine counties, California; purse, $500.

Running—Dash of one-half mile and repeat; free for all; purse, $200.

Trotting—For 3-year-olds and under; free for all; purse, $250.

THURSDAY.

Trotting—2:23 class; free for all; purse, $600.

Selling Purse—$250, of which $50 to second, $25 to third; for 3-year-olds and upwards; horses entered to be sold for $1,500 to carry rule weights; two pounds allowed for each $100 down to $1,000; then one pound for each $100 less down to $400; selling price to be stated through entry box at 6 P. M. day before the race; one mile.

Running Stake—For 3-year-olds; 1¼ miles; free for all; purse, $200. The winner of race No. 7 at Reno State Fair to carry five pounds extra; $50 entrance; second horse to save stake.

Running; one-half mile; purse, $150.

Pacing—2:20 class; purse, $600.

FRIDAY.

Running—Seven-eighths of a mile and repeat; free for all; purse, $250.

Trotting—For 4-year-olds and under owned in the State of Nevada, and Mono, Inyo and Alpine counties, California; purse, $250.

Trotting—2:27 class; free for all; purse, $400.

SATURDAY.

Running—1¼ miles; free for all; purse, $200.

Consolation Purse—$250; for all horses that have run at the meeting and not won; 1 mile; first quarter, $50; first half, $75; first to finish, $125; entrance, free.

Trotting—Free for all; purse, $800.

Pacing—Free for all; purse, $800.

Reserved for special purses, $2,500.

FIRST ANNUAL FAIR.

Of the Lander and Nye Agricultural Society.

The Directors of the Lander and Nye Agricultural Society, District No. 6, have issued their programme. The first annual fair of this Society will be held at Austin, Nevada, commencing September 18th and ending September 21st, 1889. The parade and exhibition will be held on the first day on Main street, Austin, and the trials of speed on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th days on the track. The first day, Wednesday, September 18th, 1889, will be devoted to the exhibits of agricultural, horticultural products and articles of manufacture and exhibition of live stock, There will be on this day a grand parade on Main street, beginning at 2 P. M. promptly, in which everybody having good animals are invited to participate. The awarding of premiums will begin immediately after the parade. No animal will be awarded a premium without competition. In this department no animal can be entered more than once. Every person having animals entered must bring them up promptly for the Judges to inspect, when they are called by the Secretary. All animals that are bona fide residents of Lander or Nye counties are eligible to entry. In all the classes, unless otherwise stated, two thirds of premium and entrance will go to first choice and one third to second choice. There will be fifteen groups in all. First group: Best horses, mares, mules, colts, etc. There are 20 classes in this group, and liberal premiums will be offered. Special premium of $10 will be given best boy rider, 10 years old or under; special premium of $10 will be given best boy rider over 10 and under 15 years. Competition to be held on first day of exhibition at 10 o'clock A. M. on Main street, Austin. A special premium of $20 will be given the best lady rider, $10 to second best. All contestants must be approved by the Board, and residents of the district. Contest to be held on third day at 10 A M. at the Race Track. We will state for the benefit of our Nye county ladies that they must expect sharp competition on the part of Lander county ladies.

May Stop at Reno.

The Elko Independent says:

We learn that owing to the severe drought in Nevada this season, that cattle shipped from points in this State east of Reno, to San Francisco or other destination in California, may, during the period from August 15th, this year, to April 15, 1890, be stopped in transit at Reno, by request of the shipper, for the purpose of feeding, provided that the through rate from the point of destination be prepaid, or paid at Reno upon such stoppage. It being understood that shippers will re-ship the same cattle from Reno to their destination not later than the 15th day of April then next ensuing, and that upon re-shipment the shipper will pay the further sum of $5 for each carload of cattle re-shipped, to defray the additional expense caused thereby.

Antiquity of Nevada.

While rock inscriptions occur in several parts of the State, on the Carson, Humboldt and Truckee rivers; at Death Valley and on the side of several mountain passes, there are no evidences such as ruined cities, mounds, burial places, etc., that would lead to the belief that Nevada was at one time largely populated by a prehistoric people, but the evidences are indisputable that ages before Columbus discovered America, and contamporaneous with the elephant and mastodon, an unknown race of people inhabited Nevada. They crossed the mountain passes, followed the rivers and Sierras when Eagle Valley was yet a lake. The photographs taken of the rock inscriptions near Fort Churchill, on the Carson river, were examined by the savants of the Smithsonian Institute and some of the most learned archæologists of Europe, and were pronounced the most interesting and oldest known. Some contended that they belonged to a race of people that were so populous at one time on the Gila, Salt and other rivers of Arizona. While there is a resemblance to the inscriptions left by those people those in Nevada are more crude. Others contend they belonged to the Toltecs or Aztecs and were made by raiding parties or prospectors sent out to discover new countries and take captives for sacrifice and used as guide stones. Two stone mortars found near Lovelocks, now at the University at Berkely, are the largest and best specimens that have been found in any country belonging to the early stone age. The footprints at the Carson prison, under 40 feet of sandstone and drift, show that man existed before the drift or glacial period and also existed at or before the volcanic period, as some of the inscriptions in Death Valley are partially covered with lava. The age in which they lived is a matter of speculation, as some of the changes may have been made by local causes from whence they came, or the mode of their extinction leaving no trace, is a matter of conjecture.

A Representative of the Sisters' Academy, of Reno.

The Eureka Sentinel, of last Saturday, says:

Mother Mary Dolores, O. S. D., Superior of the Sisters' Academy at Reno, paid Eureka a visit last Saturday, accompanied by one of her pupils, Miss Marie Horan. They were the guests of Father Nattini until Monday morning, when they left on their return trip. The academy is a home where young ladies receive a practical education in all the branches usually taught in the best schools, and in some that are not usually taught. The aim of its experienced and conscientious teachers is to fit the pupils for a life of reality, usefulness and social happiness. Instead of burdening them with rules and regulations, they train them by example to love discipline and application, morality, politeness, tidiness and whatever may enhance the qualities of the mind and heart. Incentives to emulation and development of talent are held out from time to time, and every aid is afforded to the attainment of knowledge. A motherly care is taken of the pupils', their physical improvement as well as their mental. Pupils of any religious denomination are admitted without any interferance; only their presence being required with the rest at the various exercises at the academy. The terms for tuition, board, etc., are very reasonable and are kept within the reach of every parent. Some of our citizens had an interview with Mother Dolores, and will soon improve the opportunity by placing their daughters in her care.

Still Repairing.

The Enterprise says repairing the machinery in the Mint occupies all the time. It had been idle so long that every joint and journal is covered with either dust or rust, and much work will still be necessary before it can be put in running order. It is confidently expected, though, that the dies, will be at work on September 1. In the meantime a lot of bullion is accumulating, as purchases are made at figures as high as are given in San Francisco.

A good prize should be offered by our Fair Directors for the best ball nine in the county. Wabuska, Dayton and Greenfield could each get up a good nine, and have some lively games.—Lyon County Times.

Northwestern Masonic Aid Association.

The abstract of the Northwestern Masonic Aid-Association has been received, payable on or before August 20th, at the office of B. E. Hunter, Library rooms, corner Sierra and Third streets. Please bring notices. B. E. HUNTER.
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NOTICE ON DISSOLUTION.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF of Neva in and for the county of Washoe. In the matter of the estate of L. W. Lee, deceased. To all whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given that upon the application of Julia D. Lee, Administratrix of the estate of L. W. Lee, deceased, the district Court of the State of Nevada, for the county of Washoe, made an order on the 15th day of July, present, directing that distribution of the residue of said estate be made as provided by law, and it was also ordered that the hearing of said application for distribution be had on Saturday, the seventeenth day of August, 1879, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court room, at Reno, in said county of Washoe. Therefore, all persons who have any interest in the matter of said distribution are required to be and appear before said Court on said day and show such cause as they may have against distribution being made according to said application, or show such cause as they may have knowledge of why distribution should not be made. Should no sufficient cause appear in opposition to distribution the same will be made by order and decree of the Court.

JULIA D. LEE, Administratrix.

SUMMONS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe. The State of Nevada sends to Guilford B. Chapin, GREETING: You are hereby required to appear in an action commenced against you as defendant by Kezia H. Chapin as plaintiff in the District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe, and answer the complaint therein within ten days after the service on you of this Summons (exclusive of the day of service), if served in said county, or twenty days if served out of said county, but within said District, and in all other cases forty days; or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint. The said action is brought to recover judgment and decree of Court annulling the marriage heretofore and now existing between you and said plaintiff, on the ground of willful failure and neglect on your part to provide for plaintiff the common necessaries of life, having the ability and means on your part so to do, and also on the further ground of extreme cruelty on your part towards the plaintiff, and for the custody and control of the minor children of yourself and plaintiff, all of which will more fully appear from the complaint which is on file in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Reno, in said county, and to which you are especially referred.

And you are further notified, that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded and for costs.

SEAL. In testimony whereof, I, T. V. Julien, Clerk, have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, this 10th day of July, A. D. 1889.

T. V. JULIEN,
Clerk of the District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for Washoe county.
By W. L. Knox, Deputy.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE of Nevada, for Washoe county. In the matter of the estate of James Bradley, deceased:

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Public Administrator of Washoe county, State aforesaid, duly appointed and qualified Administrator, of the estate of James Bradley, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, the said deceased, to exhibit the same with necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his residence, on the east side of Lake street, between Plaza, or Third and Fourth streets, in Reno, county and State aforesaid.

J. V PEERS,
Administrator as aforesaid of the estate of James Bradley, deceased.
Dated July 10, 1889.

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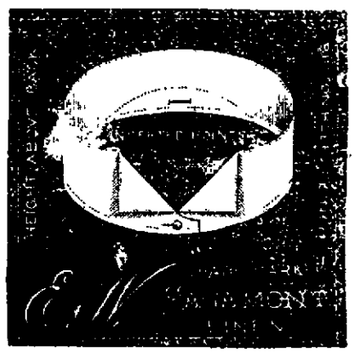

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

BREVITIES.

The weather is getting cooler.

"The Silent Partner" to-night.

E. R. Dodge, of Susanville, has gone to the city.

Mrs. E. A. Kilbourne is visiting friends in Virginia.

Go and see J. B. Polk in "The Silent Partner" to-night.

The Winnemucca Guards have decided to build an Armory.

Five bars of Confidence bullion went below Sunday evening.

Work on all the new bricks being erected is progressing rapidly.

Johnny Belz and wife left for a visit to San Francisco last night.

Herbert Coffin, operator at Gold Hill, is off on a month's vacation.

Indian Agent Sears was in from the Pyramid Reservation Sunday evening.

Miss Annie Sullivan, one of Virginia's bright educators, is on a trip to the city.

J. F. Aitken keeps his customers cool by distributing two tons of pure mountain ice daily.

At present there are 15,000 inches of water in the Truckee river to irrigate 64,000 acres of land.

C. A. Faulkner, ex-Postmaster of Susanville, departed for the East Sunday to reside permanently.

H. J. Thyes went below Sunday night to the funeral of his father who died in San Francisco Sunday morning.

Supt. Whited was in town yesterday, and is making preparations for the erection of the new passenger depot.

Mrs. T. Dempsey, of Carson, has gone to San Francisco for medical treatment. The genial Tim spent Sunday in Reno.

The Elite Baseball Club defeated the Hobos here Sunday for a purse of $5. Score—well, never mind the score.

The V. & T. passenger crew made an extra trip to Virginia Saturday night to bring down the "Jed Prouty" theater company.

The pay-rolls for wages for the month of July of mining companies operating on the Comstock lode amounts to $202,485.

Berry & Navacovich yesterday received another car-load of watermelons, and as usual remembered the JOURNAL force. Thanks.

B. C. Shearer, Manager of the Reno Western Union Telegraph Office left Sunday on a recreating trip to San Francisco, Calavaras and Lake Tahoe.

Campers should never leave a fire burning in the mountains. If they have no water with which to extinguish a fire let them cover it deep with soil.

Twenty-three carloads of beef cattle and two carloads of horses, belonging to R. Farrell, en route from Battle Mountain to the Bay, were unloaded here Sunday.

Col. Geo. D. Baker expects to purchase a home and reside in Reno. The Col. is of the kind of men Reno wants. To energy and ability we extend a hearty welcome.

The Truckee Republican says Mr. Gill and family have removed to Reno, where Mr. Gill has an agency of a carriage manufacturing company.

The Truckee Baseball Club has accepted the proposition to go to the Caledonian Picnic on the 10th and play ball with the Virginia Club for a purse of $50.

George Wilson, who formerly handled the Wheatstone system in the Western Union office here will have charge of the office during the absence of Manager Shearer.

The next theatrical attraction will be Mantell, the handsome society actor, who packed the new California Theater, San Francisco, for two weeks. The women went wild over him.

The Truckee Lumber Co's. saw mill at Truckee is running nights now, because the water in the river is so low that there is not sufficient to supply the factory and mill at the same time.

The Sierra Valley Leader says the Sierra Valley & Mohawk railroad bed will be sold on Aug. 30th in San Francisco, to the highest bidder. We are glad something is being done on this line of railroad.

Steps are being taken to organize a water company in Truckee. It is proposed to bring the water from a big spring which is located on the hillside about two miles southwest from town. It is calculated that two hundred feet pressure can be obtained and an abundance of water.

The California State Board of Trade for Committee says that Owens river carries during the Summer months sufficient water to place a surface depth of 15 inches of water on 300,000 acres of land without the use of storage reservoirs. Less than 12,000 acres are now cultivated in Owens Valley.

Naches, the Piute Chief, informs the Silver State that he has seen the Humboldt river as low as it is now, and the Humboldt lake dry three times before. Once, when he was a boy, there was no water in the river west of where the town of Winnemucca now is, and there was no water whatever in the lake.

Caledonian Picnic.

The Caledonian picnic at Treadway's, Carson, Saturday, August 10th, promises to be the picnic of the season. Every arrangement is being made for the accommodation of guests, and liberal prizes will be awarded in the games, etc. A car has already been chartered by the people of Truckee, and Reno should charter four or five. The Truckee and Virginia clubs and the Carson and Reno clubs will struggle for the baseball championship. Tickets for the round trip, $1 50.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Proceedings of the Board Yesterday.

The Board of Commissioners met yesterday pursuant to adjournment. Present—T. K. Hymers (Chairman), W. P. McLaughlin Commissioner; T. V. Julien, Clerk; D. Allen, District Attorney; L. J. Flint, Sheriff. The following bills against the county were allowed:

H. F. Pavola, supplies	$6 00
P. N. Norton, roadwork	7 50
S. J. Hodgkinson, supplies	1 75
W. Pmeiger, supplies	4 10
T. K. Hymers, Com	50 00
John Douglas et. al., roadwork	158 75
Wm. Merrill, Com	50 00
D. Allen, Dis't Att'y	125 00
Riverside Hotel, feeding pris.	276 65
Reno Water Co., water	5 00
J. W. Carroll, roadwork	3 00
C. H. Stoddard, disb't	6 18
C. C. Powning, printing	41 00
A. J. Smith, roadwork	12 50
W. Sanders, repairs	1 50
J. V. Peers, Coroner fees	4 60
C. A. Thurston, supplies	7 00
Coffin & Larcombe, supplies	10 00
Jno. B. Williams, Recorder	186 00
J. M. Cunningham, work pris	58 50
W. J. Luke, labor	10 50
Coffin & Larcombe, supplies	1 50
A. Beagiehole, hauling	4 00
County Treas, Judge's salary	1,713 75
Reno M. & L. Co. lumber	44 20
J. E. Lunderman, hauling	3 00
B. A. Cooper, road work	4 00
S. T. Benitz, supplies	16 00
Folsom & Wells, supplies	7 30
I. H. Ball, road work	10 00
E. C. Sessions, supplies	7 00
T. K. Hymers, disb	10 05
S. G. Coats, working prisoners	45 00
M. Nathan, supplies	7 35
H. F. Rohrs, hauling	1 00
C. H. Stoddard, Assessor	280 00
Thos. Barnett, supplies	13 25
W. P. McLaughlin, disb	38 40
Folsom & Wells, supplies	45 54
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Smith & Marker, supplies	20 00
J. F. Aitken, supplies	6 00
County Treas. disb	560 00
W. H. Fraser, road work	4 00
T. V. Julien, Clerk's office	198 00
W. H. Joy, hospital	185 00
Dr. J. A. Lewis, hospital	100 00
Reno Gas Co., gas	6 00
S. J. Hodgkinson, supplies	4 50
D. B. Boyd, salary	150 00
L. P. McCarthy, Annual Statis.	4 00
County Treas., disb	4 90
W. Sanders, undertaking	35 00
S. W. Upson, Constable fees	329 00
N. P. Jaques, repairs	1 00
W. H. Young, Justice fees	258 40
Osburn & Shoemaker, supplies	4 97
A. W. Griswold, hauling	1 00
F. W. Hagerman, supplies	18 57
W. P. McLaughlin, disbursements	38 40
Folsom & Wells, supplies	46 54
W. P. McLaughlin, Commissioner	50 00
L. J. Flint, Sheriff	312 75
Reno Gazette, printing	24 55
Dr. Dawson et al., supplies	25 25
RENO INCORPORATION.	
John Douglass, Chief of Police	25 00
R. Nash, watching	13 00
M. Mahar et al., sewer work	50 00
C. C. Powning, printing	15 00
M. T. Coats, hauling	4 75
Reno Lumber Co., lumber	12 49
W. J. Luke, blacksmithing	3 50
J. F. Aitken, sprinkling	20 00
T. K. Stewart, surveying	20 00
W. O. H. Martin, supplies	1 25
Russell & Bradley, sewer water	36 00
S. W. Upson, watching	10 00
F. C. Savage, watching	12 00
Reno Electric Light Co., lights	60 00
Geo. E. Holesworth, labor	24 00
Reno Fire Dep't, disbursements	315 95
Reno Water Co., water	34 00
N. P. Jacques, supplies	30 09
First National Bank, insurance	150 00

J. H. Sauchereaux was appointed Justice for Verdi precinct, vice J. H. Borman, deceased.

The Clerk was directed to advertise for bids for doing county printing, other than blanks.

The Clerk was directed to notify the Essex Ice Company to repair the crossing over the sidetrack at Essex.

Wm. Pearson was authorized to attend to the repair of roads in Wadsworth precinct.

The regular meeting of the Board for town business will hereafter be on the first and third Monday in each month.

Relief was granted to Mrs. E. C. Hurley, Mrs. Digham, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. McCann, Mrs. Stackpole and Mrs. Towl in the sum of $10 each, and J. P. Small, $15

Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Reno, Nevada, Postoffice, August 5th, 1889:

Armstrong, John	Kearns, L G
Berggerst, O	Leach, J
Ball, Mrs Lillie	Merrill, W N
Bailey, W W	Matson, C
Bernier, John	Merrill, W N
Blum, Mrs M T	O'Conner, Dan
Burke, Albert	Pendleton, J N
Bromer, C G	Philadelphia Beer Agt
Crofard, Dan	Pary, O M
Crisby, J N	Rocherville, Chas-2
Coleman, J M	Robinson, Albert
Donervan, G L	Salvator, Ed
Doran, Mrs J	Schoufield, August
Ide, R E	Schafer, John
Enstler, Jonah	Shea, John
Feliz, Rafael	Scofield, Theodore
Fitch, Mrs Mary	Strawbridge, Wm
Frykstrand, N	Thompson, John
Gauthin, J L	Vietti, G B
Goodsel, Bishop D A	Weider, W
Harnum, F M	Wells, W D
Johnson, James	Wilson, Alice pkge
Wright, Master N	

J. C. HAGERMAN, P. M.

The Ounce of Prevention

Now that the whole town is as dry as tinder all persons should exercise the utmost care in order that we may not again suffer such disasters as have visited the town lately. It would be well, while this unparalleled drought continues, to keep in readiness buckets and barrels of water. Never before has everything—both houses and surrounding grounds, walks and structures of every kind—been in a more inflamable condition than at present. No man should throw a cigar or cigarette stump anywhere but in the open street, and even then he should be sure that it is not alight. Towns are burning in all directions, and it is to be hoped that the coming Winter will not find Reno again a waste of ashes and ruins.

Eastern Star Meeting.

The regular meeting of Adah Chapter No. 4, Order of Eastern Star will take place Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. There will be initiation and a full attendance is requested. By order of the Worthy Matron.

POLK COMEDY COMPANY.

The Attraction at the Opera House To-Night.

The J. B. Polk comedy company will appear at the McKissick Opera House to-night in the fine American comedy of "The Silent Partner." This comedy has a complicated plot, and not only introduces one or two characters newly-discovered and original but also brings in the Edison phonograph, which is made to play a part. Owing to the fact that Nemo, the silent partner, is a "man of straw"—one made of wind and stuffed with air—there are many and various complications which agreeably distress the spectators. Seats now on sale at Nasby's.

The Athletic Club.

This institution for the cultivation of the muscles of Reno's young men is still in full blast and greatly enjoyed by its members. In conjunction with the Reno Guard the club has rented the pavilion, into which the two have moved their paraphernalia and are now enjoying their exercises in that spacious hall. The apparatus of the Athletic Club is already extensive, and still additions are being made to it, a new vaulting horse now being on the road. A shower bath has been placed in one of the dressing rooms, so that after exercising the members can take a good shower before donning their clothes, thus adding to the exhilarating effects of the amusement and lessening the chances of taking cold. The change to the pavilion removes the younger members away from such close proximity to saloons and gaming tables as heretofore, thus lessening the objections of parents to allowing their boys to attend on exercise nights. The club has a little money in the treasury, which will be expended in putting curtains over the windows and otherwise adding to the comfort and pleasure of the members. The boys can now boast of one of the finest athletic halls this side of San Francisco, with plenty of room for their gymnasium, bicycle riding, dancing and almost any indoor sport they may see fit to indulge in. The Reno Guard is constantly drilling under command of Captain Fassett and is a company that would be a credit to a much larger town than Reno, having some sixty odd members. The Fair Directors should put in a new spring floor for the boys, and then Reno would possess the finest dancing hall in the State

Truckee's 601 Still Alive.

Some time ago a man was arrested for indecent exposure of person to a girl under 13 years of age, and who had tried to induce her to submit to his beastly proposition. Last Saturday evening about forty masked men took him from the calaboose and escorted him to the river back of the Truckee Hotel, where they repeatedly suspended him by the neck, and finally concluded to spare the brute's life, but treated him to a liberal coat of tar and feathers, and ordered him to leave town at once, which he did.

The Result of Delay.

About a week before, says the Enterprise, Tom Alchorn's sudden death by being struck by a piece of plank while working at the Crown Point buzz-saw, he put in his application with Alf Doten, agent, for a $5,000 policy in the Bankers' and Merchants' Mutual Life Association, but delayed the requisite medical examination until "after pay-day"—the pay-day that did not arrive.

The Reno baseball club has reached a disorganized state. The last game with Truckee was the last straw.—Truckee Republican.

Is the Reno Club going to stand this?

Advice to Mothers.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so, send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhœa, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25 cents a bottle feb. 21-swf-1y.

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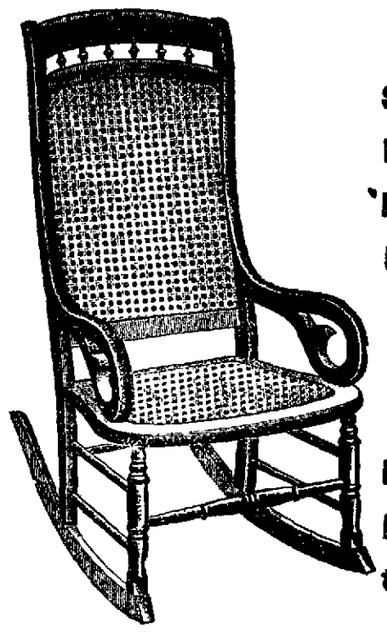

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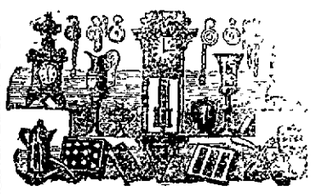

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